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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 23 September 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED
BY RESOLUTION 724 (1991) CONCERNING YUGOSLAVIA

4.30 p.m.- 6 p.m.	35th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m.	8th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Levon Ter-Petrossian, President of the Republic of Armenia.
2. Address by His Excellency Mr. Alfredo Felix Cristiani Burkard, President of the Republic of El Salvador.
3. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   France

   China

   Germany

   Belarus

CLOSURE OF THE LIST OF SPEAKERS

The list of speakers in the general debate will be closed *today*, 23 September 1992, at 6 p.m.

3 p.m. 9th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Jaime Paz Zamora, Constitutional President of the Republic of Bolivia.

2. Address by His Excellency Captain Valentine E. M. Strasser, Chairman of the Supreme Council of State and Minister for Defence of the Republic of Sierra Leone.

3. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Mexico

Address by His Excellency Mr. Hans Brunhart, Head of Government of the Principality of Liechtenstein

Congo

Malaysia

Denmark

Brunei Darussalam

Romania

Committees

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FIFTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-6 p.m. 2nd meeting Conference Room 3

1. Election of the Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur

2. Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments [17]

   (a) Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/47/101/Add.1)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m. 3rd meeting Conference Room 1

Organization of work (A/C.6/47/L.1 and A/C.6/47/1)

Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its twenty-fifth session [131] (A/47/17, A/47/454)

3 p.m.-6 p.m. 4th meeting Conference Room 1

Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its twenty-fifth session [131] (A/47/17, A/47/454)

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

3 p.m.-6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION

CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE ON SUBSTANTIVE QUESTIONS (OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES)

Second regular session of 1992

9.30 a.m.-1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

3 p.m.-6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

OTHER MEETINGS

ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE

Coordinating Meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

ALLIANCE OF SMALL ISLAND STATES

2.30 p.m.-4 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

4.15 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Thursday, 24 September 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m. — 10th PLENARY MEETING — General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Soeharto, President of the Republic of Indonesia.
2. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Italy

   Yemen

   Canada

   San Marino

3 p.m. — 11th PLENARY MEETING — General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Milan Kućan, President of the Presidency of the Republic of Slovenia.
2. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Address by His Excellency Mr. Jules Rattankoemar Ajodhia, Vice-President of the Republic of Suriname.

Kuwait

Belgium

Address by His Excellency the Right Honourable James Brendan Bolger, Prime Minister of New Zealand

Greece

Dominican Republic

Zaire

Marshall Islands

Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE

Open-ended informal consultations

10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	5th meeting	Conference Room 1

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

The Second Committee will hold its 2nd meeting on Friday, 2 October 1992, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 2 for the purpose of electing its Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur, and to consider its organization of work (A/C.2/47/L.1). A statement will also be made by the Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Development. A note by the Secretariat on the state of preparation of documentation will be issued in document A/C.2/47/L.1/Add.1.

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers for the general debate, which is scheduled to begin on Monday, 5 October 1992, at 3 p.m. are kindly requested to notify the Secretariat (Room S-2977A, tel.: 963-5717).

Delegations are reminded that the maximum duration for all statements in the general debate has been set at 15 minutes.

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THIRD COMMITTEE

The Third Committee will hold its 2nd meeting on Tuesday, 29 September 1992, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1, for the purpose of electing its Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur and to consider its organization of work (A/C.3/37/L.1). A note by the Secretariat on the state of preparation of documentation will be issued in document A/C.3/47/L.1/Add.1.

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FIFTH COMMITTEE

The 3rd meeting of the Fifth Committee will be held on Monday, 28 September 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 3, to consider the Committee's programme of work.

The Committee will begin its substantive work at the 4th meeting to be held on Monday, 5 October 1992. The time and room of the meeting and the agenda will be announced at a later date.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Development Programme

There will be informal consultations of the Governing Council on Tuesday, 29 September 1992, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. and, if necessary, on Wednesday, 30 September 1992, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on the following subjects: a) Follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development: Capacity 21; b) Progress report on the implementation of decision 92/19: new agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990's; c) Progress report on the implementation of decision 92/44: proposal concerning the location of UNDP and UNFPA Headquarters; d) Follow-up to decision 92/26 on assistance to Myanmar and decision 92/27 on UNDP programme in former Yugoslavia; e) The activities of UNDP in the Baltic States and the Commonwealth of Independent States (decision (92/43); and f) Programme approach, including decentralization and delegation of authority (decision 92/23).

The conference room will be announced at a later date. The meeting is open to all members of the Programme.

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OTHER MEETINGS

The GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE *(at the ambassadorial level)* will hold a closed meeting on Thursday, 24 September 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

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The Sixteenth Ministerial Meeting of the GROUP OF 77 will be held on Thursday, 1 October 1992, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. The Ministerial Meeting will be preceded by the Fourth Annual Meeting of senior officials and various chapters of the Group of 77, pursuant to the provisions of the Caracas Ministerial Declaration of June 1989 (A/44/361), on 28 and 29 September 1992 at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

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Special Briefing

There will be a special briefing sponsored by the World Bank at which Mr. Caio Koch-Weser, Vice-President of the World Bank for Middle East and North Africa, will make a presentation on the theme "Reform and regional cooperation: a development agenda for the Middle East and North Africa". Mr. Koch-Weser will outline the key economic and developmental issues facing the countries of the region and how they relate to the prospects of regional peace, the need for domestic economic reforms, and the case for international support in the forms of private capital inflows, transfers from oil-surplus countries, and international assistance. The presentation will be followed by a discussion period.

The briefing will be held on Tuesday, 6 October 1992, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. Members of delegations, Secretariat staff, representatives of non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend.

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SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 22 September 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

6th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency El Hadj Hassan Gouled Aptidon, President of the Republic of Djibouti

His Excellency El Hadj Hassan Gouled Aptidon, President of the Republic of Djibouti, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Mr. Roh Tae Woo, President of the Republic of Korea

His Excellency Mr. Roh Tae Woo, President of the Republic of Korea, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. The Right Honourable Douglas Hurd, C.B.E., M.P., Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (on behalf of States members of the European Community); H.E. Mr. Andrei V. Kozyrev, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation; and H.E. Mr. Hans van den Broek, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands.

7th plenary meeting

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/47/442/Add.2) [113]

The General Assembly took note that the Gambia had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

Address by His Excellency Dr. Franjo Tudjman, President of the Republic of Croatia

His Excellency Dr. Franjo Tudjman, President of the Republic of Croatia, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Mr. George Vassiliou, President of the Republic of Cyprus

His Excellency Mr. George Vassiliou, President of the Republic of Cyprus, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Muhammad Siddique Khan Kanju, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Pakistan; H.E. Mr. Michio Watanabe, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Japan; H.E. Professor Krzysztof Skubiszewski, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Poland; Her Excellency Mrs. Margaretha af Ugglas, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Sweden; H.E. Mr. Enrique Silva Cimma, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Chile; H.E. Professor Dr. Joao de Deus Pinheiro, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Portugal; and Her Excellency Mrs. Pascaline Bongo, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Cooperation and Francophonie of Gabon.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of India and Pakistan.

Adoption of the agenda and organization of work [8]

(a) Letter from the President of the Security Council (A/47/456);

(b) Draft resolution (A/47/L.1)

The representative of the United Kingdom made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/47/L.1.

The Prime Minister of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, H.E. Mr. Milan Panic, made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Explanations of vote before the vote were made by the representatives of Ghana, Zimbabwe, Kenya, Botswana, Zambia, the United Republic of Tanzania, Benin and Hungary.

By 127 votes to 6, with 26 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/47/L.1 (resolution 47/1).

Explanations of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of Maldives, Mexico, Brazil, Guatemala, Trinidad and Tobago, Romania, Jamaica and Guyana.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

Third extension, under Resolution No. 355 adopted by the International Coffee Council on 27 September 1991, of the International Coffee Agreement, 1983, adopted by the International Coffee Council on 16 September 1982, as further extended

Acceptance: Uganda (22 September 1992)*

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, concluded at Montego Bay, Jamaica, on 10 December 1982

Ratification: Costa Rica (21 September 1992)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chairmen of the regional groups

The following information regarding the Chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of September has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Mali
Mr. Cheick Sidi Ahmed Tidiane Diarra
Chargé d'affaires

Asian States:
Republic of Korea
H.E. Mr. Chong-Ha Yoo

Eastern European States:
Albania
H.E. Mr. Thanas Shkurti

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Trinidad and Tobago
H.E. Mme Annette des Iles

Western European and Other States:
Canada
H.E. Mrs. Louise Fréchette

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SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 24 September 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

11 a.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

INFORMAL WORKING GROUP

4 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 7

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m. — 10th PLENARY MEETING — General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Soeharto, President of the Republic of Indonesia.
2. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Italy

   Yemen

   Canada

   San Marino

3 p.m. — 11th PLENARY MEETING — General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Milan Kućan, President of the Presidency of the Republic of Slovenia.
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Kuwait

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Address by His Excellency the Right Honourable James Brendan Bolger, Prime Minister of New Zealand

Greece

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Marshall Islands

Azerbaijan

3. Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions: report of the Fifth Committee (Part I) (A/47/464) [17 (a)].

Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

Open-ended informal consultations on agenda item 135 (Additional protocol on consular functions to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations)

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	5th meeting	Conference Room 1

Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its twenty-fifth session [131] (A/47/17, A/47/454)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
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Second regular session of 1992

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

OTHER MEETINGS

GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
(at the ambassadorial level)

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 3

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There will be closed meetings of the PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OF THE HEADS OF STATE OF THE GROUP OF 15 *today*, 24 September 1992, at 10.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Friday, 25 September 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m. 12th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Anatolijs Gorbunovs, Chairman of the Supreme Council of the Republic of Latvia.
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   Czechoslovakia

   Egypt

   Spain

   India

3 p.m. 13th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Punsalmaagiin Ochirbat, President of Mongolia.
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   Turkey

   Ireland

   Oman

   Iceland

   Address by His Excellency the Right Honourable Obed M. Dlamini, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Swaziland

   Luxembourg

   Mozambique

Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	6th meeting	Conference Room 1

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Forty-seventh session

8th plenary meeting

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Address by His Excellency Mr. Alfredo Felix Cristiani-Burkard, President of the Republic of El Salvador

His Excellency Mr. Alfredo Felix Cristiani-Burkard, President of the Republic of El Salvador, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The General Assembly heard statements by His Excellency Mr. Roland Dumas, Minister of State and Minister for Foreign Affairs of France; H.E. Mr. Qian Qichen, State Councillor and Minister for Foreign Affairs of China; H.E. Dr. Klaus Kinkel, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Germany; and H.E. Mr. Pyotr K. Kravchanka, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Belarus.

9th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Mr. Jaime Paz Zamora, President of the Republic of Bolivia

His Excellency Mr. Jaime Paz Zamora, President of the Republic of Bolivia, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Captain Valentine E. M. Strasser, Chairman of the National Provisional Ruling Council of the Republic of Sierra Leone

His Excellency Captain Valentine E. M. Strasser, Chairman of the National Provisional Ruling Council of the Republic of Sierra Leone, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Fernando Solana Morales, Secretary for Foreign Affairs of Mexico; H.E. Mr. Hans Brunhart, Head of Government and Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Principality of Liechtenstein; H.E. Mr. Benjamin Bounkoulou, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Cooperation and Hydrocarbons of the Congo; H.E. Datuk Abdullah bin Haji Ahmad Badawi, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Malaysia; H.E. Mr. Uffe Ellemann-Jensen, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Denmark; H.R.H. Prince Mohamed Bolkiah, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Brunei Darussalam; and H.E. Mr. Adrian Nastase, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Romania.

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE 2nd meeting

The Chairman made an opening statement.

Election of the Vice-Chairmen and the Rapporteur

Upon nominations by the representatives of Cuba and the Netherlands, the Committee elected by acclamation Ms. Maria Rotheiser (Austria) and Mr. El Hassane Zahid (Morocco) as Vice-Chairmen.

Upon nomination by the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Committee elected by acclamation Mr. Jorge Osella (Argentina) as Rapporteur.

The representative of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya made a statement pursuant to the provisions of rule 110 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments [17]

(a) Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

The Committee decided, by acclamation, to recommend to the General Assembly the appointment of Mr. Ranjit Rae (India) to the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a term of office beginning on the date the General Assembly's approval of this appointment and ending on 31 December 1992.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 17 (a).

SIXTH COMMITTEE 3rd meeting

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

The Committee approved the proposal on the organization of work of the Sixth Committee contained in document A/C.6/47/L.1.

Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its twenty-fifth session [131]

Mr. José María Abascal Zamora (Mexico), Chairman of UNCITRAL at its twenty-fifth session, introduced the report of the Commission.

The representatives of Austria, Canada, Kenya, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Indonesia, Argentina (on behalf of the member States of the Rio Group), Australia and the United Kingdom made statements.

4th meeting

Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its twenty-fifth session [131]

The representatives of Czechoslovakia, Denmark (on behalf of the Nordic countries), the United States, Spain and Italy made statements.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

Third extension under Resolution No. 355 adopted by the International Coffee Council on 27 September 1991, of the International Coffee Agreement, 1983, adopted by the International Coffee Council on 16 September 1982, as further extended

Acceptance: Burundi (22 September 1992)*
Thailand and United States of America (23 September 1992)*

Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, concluded at Geneva on 13 November 1979

Succession: Croatia (21 September 1992)*

Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution on Long-Term Financing of the Co-operative Programme for Monitoring and Evaluation of the Long-Range Transmission of Air Pollutants in Europe (EMEP), concluded at Geneva on 28 September 1984

Succession: Croatia (21 September 1992)*

Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer, concluded at Vienna on 22 March 1985

Succession: Croatia (21 September 1992)*

Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, concluded at Montreal on 16 September 1987

Succession: Croatia (21 September 1992)*

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, concluded at New York on 9 May 1992

Ratification: Seychelles (22 September 1992)*

Convention on Biological Diversity, opened for signature at Rio de Janeiro on 5 June 1992

Ratification: Seychelles (22 September 1992)*

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* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meeting

Thursday, 24 September 1992

STAFF COUNCIL

1.15 p.m.-2.30 p.m.	(open to staff members only)	Conference Room 6

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2. Address by His Excellency Mr. Sixto Durán Ballén, President of the Republic of Ecuador.

3. Address by His Excellency Mr. Eduard A. Shevardnadze, Chairman of the Council of State of the Republic of Georgia.

4. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Czechoslovakia

   Egypt

   Spain

   India

3 p.m. 13th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

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   Turkey

Ireland

Oman

Iceland

Address by His Excellency the Right Honourable Obed M. Dlamini, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Swaziland

Luxembourg

Mozambique

3. Adoption of the agenda of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items: request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by the Secretary-General (A/47/243) [8].

Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	6th meeting	Conference Room 1

Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts [126] (A/47/324)

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE CONVENTION ON JURISDICTIONAL IMMUNITIES OF STATES AND THEIR PROPERTY

Morning*- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

Organizational meeting

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* Following the adjournment of the 6th meeting of the Sixth Committee.

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION

CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE ON SUBSTANTIVE QUESTIONS (OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES)

Second regular session of 1992

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

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OTHER MEETINGS

There will be closed meetings of the PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OF THE HEADS OF STATE OF THE GROUP OF 15 *today*, 25 September 1992, at 10.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Monday, 28 September 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m. 14th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Algeria

Côte d'Ivoire

Syrian Arab Republic

Address by His Excellency the Honourable Dr. Edward Fenech-Adami, Prime Minister of the Republic of Malta

Nepal

3 p.m. 15th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Vytautas Landsbergis, President of the Supreme Council of the Republic of Lithuania.

2. Continuation of the general debate [8]:

Australia

Address by His Excellency Mr. Aleksander Meksi, Chairman of the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Albania

Ghana

Cuba

Singapore

Benin

Costa Rica

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Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	3rd meeting	Conference Room 3

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	7th meeting	Conference Room 1

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
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Committees

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FIFTH COMMITTEE

The 3rd meeting of the Fifth Committee will be held on Monday, 28 September 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 3, to consider the Committee's programme of work.

The Committee will begin its substantive work at the 4th meeting to be held on Monday, 5 October 1992. The time and room of the meeting and the agenda will be announced at a later date.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

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There will be informal consultations of the Governing Council on Tuesday, 29 September 1992, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. and, if necessary, on Wednesday, 30 September 1992, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on the following subjects: a) Follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development: Capacity 21; b) Progress report on the implementation of decision 92/19: new agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990's; c) Progress report on the implementation of decision 92/44: proposal concerning the location of UNDP and UNFPA Headquarters; d) Follow-up to decision 92/26 on assistance to Myanmar and decision 92/27 on UNDP programme in former Yugoslavia; e) The activities of UNDP in the Baltic States and the Commonwealth of Independent States (decision (92/43); and f) Programme approach, including decentralization and delegation of authority (decision 92/23).

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SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 24 September 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Mr. Soeharto, President of the Republic of Indonesia

His Excellency Mr. Soeharto, President of the Republic of Indonesia, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Emilio Colombo, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Italy; H.E. Dr. Abdul Aziz Al-Dali, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs of Yemen; H.E. Mr. Gabriele Gatti, Secretary of State for Foreign and Political Affairs of San Marino; and H.E. The Honourable Barbara McDougall, Secretary of State for External Affairs of Canada.

11th plenary meeting

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/47/442/Add.3) [111]

The General Assembly took note that Chad had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

Address by His Excellency Mr. Milan Kucan, President of the Presidency of the Republic of Slovenia

His Excellency Mr. Milan Kucan, President of the Presidency of the Republic of Slovenia, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Jules Rattankoemar Ajodhia, Vice-President of the Republic of Suriname; H.E. Sheikh Salem Sabah Al Salem Al Sabah, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Kuwait; H.E. Mr. Willy Claes, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Belgium; H.E. The Right Honourable James Brendan Bolger, Prime Minister of New Zealand; H.E. Mr. Michael Papaconstantinou, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Greece; H.E. Dr. Juan Aristides Taveras Guzman, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Dominican Republic; H.E. Mr. Pierre Lumbi Okongo, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Zaire; H.E. The Honourable Tom D. Kijiner, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Marshall Islands; and H.E. Mr. Tofik Gassymov, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Azerbaijan.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Iraq and Kuwait.

Appointment of a member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions: report of the Fifth Committee (Part I) (A/47/464) [17 (a)]

The President drew the attention of the General Assembly to the report of the Fifth Committee on sub-item (a) of agenda item 17, entitled "Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions" (document A/47/464). The General Assembly decided, in accordance with the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, to appoint Mr. Ranjit Rae as a member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a term of office beginning on 24 September 1992 and ending on 31 December 1992.

Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE 5th meeting

Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its twenty-fifth session [131]

The representatives of Chile, the Russian Federation, Côte d'Ivoire, France, China, Nigeria, Hungary, Germany, India, Cameroon, Cyprus, Egypt, Algeria, Japan, Sri Lanka and Mexico made statements.

The Chairman of UNCITRAL at its twenty-fifth session, Mr. José María Abascal Zamora (Mexico), made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded its debate on the item.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, concluded at Vienna on 20 December 1988

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Acceptance: Malawi (22 September 1992)*
Finland, Norway and Sweden (23 September)*
Cote d'Ivoire, Dominican Republic, Sierra Leone and Viet Nam (24 September 1992)*

Provisional application: Spain (24 September 1992)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Monday, 28 September 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED
PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 748 (1992) CONCERNING
THE LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA

4 p.m.-6 p.m. 12th meeting (closed) Conference Room 7

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m. 14th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

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Côte d'Ivoire

Syrian Arab Republic

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Nepal

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Address by His Excellency Mr. Aleksander Meksi, Chairman of the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Albania

Ghana

Cuba

Singapore

Benin

Costa Rica

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	3rd meeting	Conference Room 3

Organization of work (A/C.5/47/10 and A/C.5/47/L.1)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	7th meeting	Conference Room 1

Observer status of national liberation movements recognized by the Organization of African Unity and/or by the League of Arab States [125] (A/47/323)

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE UNITED NATIONS DECADE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

Afternoon*-6 p.m.	1st meeting (closed)	Conference Room 1

* Following the adjournment of the 7th meeting of the Sixth Committee.

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INVESTMENTS COMMITTEE

9 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 9
2.30 p.m.-5 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 9

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OTHER MEETINGS

FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING OF SENIOR OFFICIALS AND VARIOUS CHAPTERS OF THE GROUP OF 77

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

Address by His Excellency Mr. Adrien Sibomana, Prime Minister of Burundi

11.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

ARAB GROUP OF THE WHOLE

3 p.m.-4.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6
5 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

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   Bahrain

   Democratic People's Republic of Korea

   Tajikistan

3 p.m. 17th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

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2. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Bangladesh

   Estonia

   Saudi Arabia

   Address by His Excellency Dr. Oscar de la Puente Raygada, Prime Minister of the Republic of Peru

   Togo

   Guatemala

   Gambia

   Paraguay

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Committees

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 1

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

INFORMAL WORKING GROUP

10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

AD HOC OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

A copy of the revised compendium of proposals before the Ad Hoc Working Group on Enhancing international cooperation for development: the role of the United Nations system will be available to delegations *today* from 10 a.m. onward in Room S-2963.

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Friday, 25 September 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

12th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Mr. Anatolijs Gorbunovs, Chairman of the Supreme Council of the Republic of Latvia

His Excellency Mr. Anatolijs Gorbunovs, Chairman of the Supreme Council of the Republic of Latvia, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Mr. Sixto Durán-Ballén, President of the Republic of Ecuador

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Address by His Excellency Mr. Eduard A. Shevardnadze, Chairman of the Council of State of the Republic of Georgia

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Continuation of the general debate [9]

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Jozef Moravcik, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic and H.E. Mr. Amre M. Moussa, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Egypt.

13th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Mr. Punsalmaagiin Ochirbat, President of Mongolia

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Continuation of the general debate [9]

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Don Javier Solana Madariaga, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Spain; H.E. Mr. Eduardo Faleiro, Minister of State for External Affairs of India; H.E. Mr. Hikmet Çetin, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Turkey; H.E. Mr. David Andrews, T.D., Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ireland; H.E. Mr. Yousef Bin Alawi Bin Abdulla, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs of Oman; H.E. Mr. Jón Baldvin Hannibalsson, Minister for Foreign Affairs and External Trade of Iceland; H.E. The Right Honourable Obed M. Dlamini, Prime Minister of Swaziland; H.E. Mr. Jacques F. Poos, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs, External Trade and Cooperation of Luxembourg, and H.E. Dr. Pascoal Manuel Mocumbi, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Mozambique.

Organization of work of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly: note by the Secretary-General (A/47/243) [8]

The General Assembly decided, at the request of the Secretary-General, to include in its agenda an additional item, entitled: "Financing of the United Nations operation in Somalia", and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee for consideration.

Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE 6th meeting

Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts [126]

The Legal Counsel introduced the report of the Secretary-General on this item (A/47/324).

The representatives of the Russian Federation, Sweden (on behalf of the Nordic Countries), Canada, Brazil, Australia, New Zealand, Austria, Algeria, Chile and Ukraine, the observer of Switzerland and the observer of the International Committee of the Red Cross made statements.

The Committee thus concluded its debate on the item.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

It was also announced that the list of speakers on item 136 "Protection of the environment in times of armed conflict" would be closed on Friday, 2 October 1992, at noon.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

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Chairmen of the regional groups

The following information regarding the Chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of September has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Mali
Mr. Cheick Sidi Ahmed Tidiane Diarra
Chargé d'affaires

Asian States:
Republic of Korea
H.E. Mr. Chong-Ha Yoo

Eastern European States:
Albania
H.E. Mr. Thanas Shkurti

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Trinidad and Tobago
H.E. Mme Annette des Iles

Western European and Other States:
Canada
H.E. Mrs. Louise Fréchette

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   Bahrain

   Democratic People's Republic of Korea

   Tajikistan

3 p.m. 17th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency the Reverend Father Jean-Bertrand Aristide, President of the Republic of Haiti.

2. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Bangladesh

   Estonia

   Saudi Arabia

   Paraguay

   Togo

   Guatemala

   Gambia

   Peru

Committees

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 1

1. Statement by the Chairman
2. Statement by the Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Development
3. Election of officers
4. Organization of work (A/47/250, A/47/251 and Add.1; A/C.3/47/1, A/C.3/47/L.1 and Add.1)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

Open-ended informal consultations on agenda item 135 (Additional protocol on consular functions to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations)

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE CONVENTION ON JURISDICTIONAL IMMUNITIES OF STATES AND THEIR PROPERTY

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	2nd meeting (closed)	Conference Room 6

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

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10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

WESTERN EUROPEAN AND OTHER STATES GROUP

11 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

AFRICAN GROUP: GROUP OF EXPERTS ON ECONOMIC MATTERS

Afternoon*- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

* Following the adjournment of the meeting of the African Group of the Whole.

LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN GROUP

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 3

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There will be a closed meeting of the MINISTERS OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF TROIKA *today*, 29 September 1992, from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

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There will be a closed meeting of the MINISTERS OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS THE GROUP OF 15 *today*, 29 September 1992, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

There will be an informal meeting (closed) of the COMMITTEE ON NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS *today*, 29 September 1992, at 5.30 p.m., in Conference Room B.

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United Nations Development Programme

There will be informal consultations of the Governing Council on Tuesday, 29 September 1992, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber and, if necessary, on Wednesday, 30 September 1992, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., in a room to be announced, on the following subjects: a) Follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development: Capacity 21; b) Progress report on the implementation of decision 92/19: new agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990's; c) Progress report on the implementation of decision 92/44: proposal concerning the location of UNDP and UNFPA Headquarters; d) Programme approach, including decentralization and delegation of authority (decision 92/23); e) The activities of UNDP in the Baltic States and the Commonwealth of Independent States (decision (92/43); and f) Follow-up to decision 92/26 on assistance to Myanmar and decision 92/27 on UNDP programme in former Yugoslavia.

The meeting is open to all members of the Programme.

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PRESENTATION OF A GIFT FROM THE AMIR OF THE STATE OF BAHRAIN

A gift from His Highness Shaikh Isa Bin Sulman Al-Khalifa, the Amir of the State of Bahrain, will be presented to the United Nations by His Excellency Shaikh Mohammed Bin Mubarak Al-Khalifa, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the State of Bahrain. The unveiling of the gift, which is entitled "Date Palm", will take place on 29 September 1992, at 12.30 p.m. on the second floor, in the corridor between the Security Council and the Trusteeship Council. The Secretary-General will accept the gift on behalf of the United Nations.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Wednesday, 30 September 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m. 18th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

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2. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

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   Maldives

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2. Organization of work of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly: letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences (A/47/409/Add.2) [8].

Committees

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SIXTH COMMITTEE:

INFORMAL WORKING GROUP

10 a.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m. closed meeting

3 p.m. closed meeting

Conference Room 10

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Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

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Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers for the general debate, which is scheduled to begin on Monday, 5 October 1992, at 10 a.m. are kindly requested to notify the Secretariat (Room S-2977A, tel.: 963-5717).

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OTHER MEETINGS

The *Ministerial Meeting* of the NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES will take place on Wednesday, 30 September 1992, at 10.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. Conference Room 1.

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A meeting of the ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE will be addressed by His Excellency Mr. Abdou Diouf, President of Senegal and current Chairman of the Sixth Islamic Summit, on Wednesday, 30 September 1992, at 4.45 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

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Monday, 28 September 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

14th plenary meeting

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Lakhdar Brahimi, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Algeria; H.E. Mr. Amara Essy, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Côte d'Ivoire; H.E. Mr. Farouk Al-Shará, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Syrian Arab Republic; H.E. The Honourable Dr. Ed-ward Fenech-Adami, Prime Minister of the Republic of Malta; and H.E. The Honourable Mahesh Acharya, Minister of State for Finance of Nepal.

15th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Mr. Vytautas Landsbergis, President of the Supreme Council of the Republic of Lithuania

His Excellency Mr. Vytautas Landsbergis, President of the Supreme Council of the Republic of Lithuania, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Senator The Honourable Gareth Evans, Q.C., Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade of Australia; H.E. Mr. Aleksander Meksi, Chairman of the Council of Ministers of Albania; H.E. Mr. Mohammed Ibn Chambas, Provisional National Defence Council Deputy Secretary for Foreign Affairs of Ghana; H.E. Mr. Ricardo Alarcón de Quesada, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Cuba; H.E. Mr. Wong Kan Seng, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Singapore; H.E. Mr. Théodore Holo, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Benin; and H.E. Mr. Bernd Niehaus-Quesada, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Worship of Costa Rica.

A statement in the exercise of the right of reply was made by the representative of the Sudan.

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE 3rd meeting

Organization of work

The Chairman made an introductory statement.

The Committee agreed, without objection, to the following proposals made by the Chairman: (1) the list of speakers on each of the main agenda items would be closed not later than 48 hours following the introduction of the item; (2) the speakers would make their interventions in the order in which they were inscribed on the list of speakers, and, in the event that a delegation was not present when it was due to speak, it would go to the end of the list for that day; and (3) the Rapporteur would be authorized to report directly to the General Assembly on all items considered unless, in a particular case, the Committee were to decide to include a summary of the debate in its report.

Statements concerning the Committee's tentative programme of work were made by the Chairman and the representatives of Japan, Mexico, Estonia, the United States, the United Kingdom, Canada, India, France, Latvia, Yemen, Spain and the Islamic Republic of Iran, as well as by the Acting Controller and the Under-Secretary-General for Administration and Management.

Following a statement by the Chairman, the Committee agreed to his proposal with respect to the Committee's programme of work, as orally revised.

Further statements were made by the representative of the United States and by the Secretary of the Committee.

SIXTH COMMITTEE 7th meeting

Observer status of national liberation movements recognized by the Organization of African Unity and/or by the League of Arab States [125]

The Legal Counsel introduced the report of the Secretary-General on this item contained in document A/47/323.

The Committee thus concluded its debate on the item.

Convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property [130]

The Legal Counsel introduced the report of the Secretary-General on this item contained in document A/47/326 and Add.1 and 2.

United Nations Decade of International Law [128]

The Legal Counsel introduced the report of the Secretary-General on this item contained in document A/47/384.

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[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

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Acceptance: Ethiopia (25 September 1992)*

Provisional Application: Togo (25 September 1992)*

Convention against Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 10 December 1984

Signature: Ireland (28 September 1992)*

Convention on the Rights of the Child adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 20 November 1989

Ratification: Ireland (28 September 1992)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special event

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Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE UNITED NATIONS DECADE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	2nd meeting (closed)	Conference Room 5

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEES

It would be appreciated if those delegations which have not yet done so would complete the form annexed to document A/INF/47/3 and return it by *Monday, 5 October 1992, at the latest,* to the Office of General Assembly Affairs (room S-3670A) in order that the membership lists of the Main Committees may be issued at the earliest possible date.

OTHER MEETINGS

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

Address by His Excellency Mr. Abdou Diouf, President of Senegal and current Chairman of the Organization of African Unity

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

MINISTERIAL MEETING OF THE NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1
3.30 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

MEETING OF THE ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE

Address by His Excellency Mr. Abdou Diouf, President of Senegal and current Chairman of the Sixth Islamic Summit

4.45 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Development Programme

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FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Thursday, 1 October 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m. 20th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Mauritania

Hungary

Mali

Israel

Address by His Excellency the Right Honourable Dr. Kennedy A. Simmonds, Prime Minister of St. Kitts and Nevis

3 p.m. 21st PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Madagascar

Republic of Moldova

Mauritius

Jordan

Uruguay

Burkina Faso

Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	8th meeting	Conference Room 1
3 p.m.	9th meeting	

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE UNITED NATIONS DECADE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

Morning*	closed meeting	Conference Room 1
Afternoon**	closed meeting	

* Following the adjournment of the 8th meeting.
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Committees

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THIRD COMMITTEE

There will be an informal working group meeting at 10 a.m. on Thursday, 1 October 1992, in Conference Room 8, on the World Conference on Human Rights.

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There will be informal, open-ended consultations of STATES PARTIES TO THE 1963 TREATY BANNING NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS IN THE ATMOSPHERE, IN OUTER SPACE AND UNDER WATER on Friday, 2 October 1992, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 4. These informal consultations have been called for by the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Indonesia, His Excellency Mr. Ali Alatas, in accordance with the decision adopted on 18 January 1991 at the Amendment Conference to the Treaty mandating the President of the Conference "to conduct consultations with a view to achieving progress on those issues and resuming the work of the Conference at an appropriate time".

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OTHER MEETINGS

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DPI/NGO briefing

A DPI/NGO briefing, organized in cooperation with the NGO Committee on Aging on the occasion of the 2nd International Day for the the Elderly, will be held from 10.00 a.m. to 11.45 a.m. in Conference Room 2. Mr. Joseph Verner Reed, Special Representative of the Secretary-General will convey the greetings of the Secretary-general.

The speakers will be : H.E. Sedfrey A. Ordonez, Permanent Representative of the Philippines to the United Nations; Mr. Geraldo Gonzalez, Senior Technical Advisor on Aging, United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA); Ms Brigid Donelan, Social Affairs Officer, Aging Unit, Centre for Social Developement and Humanitarian Affairs, Vienna.

In addition to the accredited representatives of non-governmental organizations, all interested members of delegations, press and United Nations Staff are invited to attend.

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SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 29 September 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

16th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Mr. Guillermo Endara Galimany, President of the Republic of Panama

His Excellency Mr. Guillermo Endara Galimany, President of the Republic of Panama, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Anatoly Zlenko, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ukraine; H.E. Shaikh Mohamed Bin Mubarak Al-Khalifa, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Bahrain; H.E. Mr. Kim Yong Nam, Vice-Premier of the Administrative Council and Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea; H.E. Mr. Khudoberdy Kholiknazarzoda, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Tajikistan; and H.E. Dr. Ricardo Luna, Chairman of the Delegation of Peru.

17th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency The Reverend Father Jean-Bertrand Aristide, President of the Republic of Haiti

His Excellency The Reverend Father Jean-Bertrand Aristide, President of the Republic of Haiti, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Mostafizur Rahman, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Bangladesh; H.E. Mr. Jaan Manitski, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Estonia; His Royal Highness Prince Saud Al-Faisal, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Saudi Arabia; H.E. Dr. Alexis Frutos Vaesken, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Paraguay; H.E. Mr. Ouattara Fambare Natchaba, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of the Transitional Government of Togo; H.E. Mr. Gonzalo Menendez Park, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Guatemala; and H.E. The Honourable Alhaji Omar Sey, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Gambia.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Iraq and Saudi Arabia.

Committees

THIRD COMMITTEE 2nd meeting

The Chairman made an opening statement.

The Under-Secretary-General of the Department of Economic and Social Development made a statement.

Election of officers

The Committee elected by acclamation Mr. Momodou K. Jallow (Gambia) and Mr. András Dékány (Hungary) Vice-Chairmen and Mr. Vitavas Srivihok as Rapporteur.

Organization of Work

The Committe decided that delegations could submit their comments in writing to the Chairman on the item entitled "Programme planning" (programmes 11, 12, 25 to 36), by 10 October 1992.

The Committee also decided to limit the delegations speeches to 15 minutes per item, whenever possible.

The Committee approved its programme of work for the session choosing the second alternative, as contained in document A/C.3/47/L.1.

The representatives of Hungary, Senegal and Algeria made statements.

The Chairman made a statement.

The Committee extended invitations to certain Special Rapporteurs and Representatives of the Commission on Human Rights to present their reports to the Third Committee.

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COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD
Second session
United Nations Office at Geneva

MONDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER 1992

28th meeting

Opening of the session

The second session of the Committee was declared open by its chairman.

29th meeting

Adoption of the agenda [1]

The Committee adopted the items listed in the provisional agenda submitted by the Secretary-General (CRC/C/9) as the agenda of the session.

Filing of a vacancy [2]

The Committee approved the nomination of a new expert, Mr. Antonio Gomes da Costa, to serve for the remainder of the term of the expert from Brazil who had resigned.

Submission of reports by States parties in accordance with article 44 of the Convention [6]

The Committee began its consideration of this item.

Solemn declaration by a newly appointed member of the Committee [3]

The newly appointed brazilian member made a solemn declaration.

Programme of work

The Committee adopted its programme of work for the session.

Other matters [14]

The Committee began its consideration of the question of regional informal meetings of the Committee as well as the role and mandate of experts serving on the Committee.

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